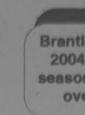
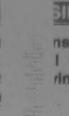
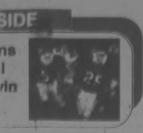
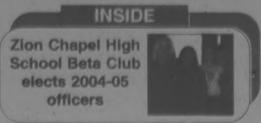
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# Firefighters put it all on the line when they enter burning buildings

by Linda Hodge, Editor always playing catch up."

they did last "You don't have a reach out to the ing communities to help the citi-Thursday second chance on people and do zens deal with natural and man-evening when the local firemen this job, Flba Fire can for their resources available and with the were asked to Chief Danny safety," Jordan utmost regard for the safety of respond to the Jordan said. "If we said. "People the members of the department work to the best of its abilities to fire on Highway err, we want it to be the time we put limit the loss to life, the environ-

84 West. an error on the side into training to ment and property." Elba Fire Chief of safety."

protect them. We On a side note, Jordan said as do it because we chief he would like to thank the said there is no love it." merchants, business owners and The Elba Fire Department

the number one priority for his selves for as many situations as calls when the department is evening, Aug. 26, shortly after 7 department at every fire is safe- possible. needed. He said the department p.m. The home's metal roof ty. "You don't have a second has a good relationship with made it difficult for flames to

ture, we try to set up and safety "If we err, we want it to be an that they recognize the impor- after a team of firefighters the area," he said. "We have error on the side of safety." tance of allowing the firemen to entered the house, the growth of policies and procedure that we Because of this, Jordan said drop what they are doing in the fire reached the flashover have to go by, and we always his department uses live fire order to respond to a fire when stage which allowed the flames prepare for the worst." training situations as much as the call comes over the radio. to spread rapidly across it. The

That type preparation came in possible to prepare the firefighthandy during last Thursday ers. Through this type of trainevening's fire when a team of ing, the firefighters know how to evening's fire when a team of ing, the firefighters know how to firemen were already inside the react to different situations and structure at the time when the can handle them when changes The Etha Clipper office Fire Chief Danny Jordan said fire's growth reached the happen suddenly. flashover stage causing a sudden For instance, a fire like the one 6, in observance of the Labor such instances, and his depart-

Jordan said if firefighters get 1,200-1,500 degrees. Jordan said Due to the holiday, Church with safety in mind. As the phoreally lucky, they can put out a firefighters do not go into a and Social News for next tos indicate, the home received fire with 50-60 gallons of water, burning building without know- week's paper will be due extensive damage from the fire. but sometimes, it takes thou- ing how they are supposed to Friday, Sept. 3, by 12 Noon. Firefighters remained on scene sands of gallons of water. It react. , depends mostly on the time in "The important thing is that advertising and news will be evening working to extinguish which firefighters are able to we all (firefighters) went home Tuesday, Sept. 7, at 12 Noon. the flames. They returned to the reach the scene. If someone the other night. That's my num-

amount of water. that went to the hospital because "Here, we're always behind," of smoke inhalation, but he

mile coverage area. We're ures."

Mulberry Park renamend in honor of long time the resignation of Boyd personal reasons for his resignation the town," said Cole. "He no doubt that officer Jerome teacher, coach and mentor Gaynes Waters



A large group of friends and other well wishers braved the heat on August 21st to help honor the naming of the Mulberry Recreation Complex to the Gaynes Waters Mulberry Recreation Complex.



Speakers from Elba and across the nation came forward to present Gaynes Waters with resolutions and proclamations honoring his 40 plus years of service to the community and area children.



An American flag which had flown over the U.S. capitol in Former player, later coach himdaughters.



Water's honor was hand deliv- self. New Brockton Mayor ered to Elba by one of his Charles Cole noted some of the great qualities of Mr. Waters:

Once firefighters arrive on person to be a fireman. He said When the tone goes over the scene, Jordan said they have to some are in the business entirely radio indicating a need for the decide the best way to for the adrenaline rush, but a true fire department, the men dedi- attack...offensive or defensive. If fireman does it because it "gets cated to the Elba Fire the firemen use an offensive in his blood." He/she accepts a Department drop what they are attack, he said they enter using calling to respond to the needs of doing and head to the fire station everything they can (windows, the community. Possibly the not knowing exactly what kind doors, etc.) to put the fire out. If mission statement of the Elba of situation they soon will find. they attack defensively, it means Fire Department best explains it: Sometimes the fire is extin- the fire is already so far ahead "It is the mission of the Elba guished within a matter of min- that the firemen can not catch up Volunteer Fire Department to utes, and other times the fire- with it; therefore, they are forced respond in a safe manner to all fighters spend hours battling a to protect everything around it. reported emergencies in the City blaze...just as "We're here to of Elba, Alabama and surround-

do it because we chief he would like to thank the "Every time we enter a struc- chance on this job," Jordan said. these citizens, and he is grateful escape the structure, and soon

will be closed Monday, Sept. training prepares firefighters for

spread of the flames. last Thursday evening can reach Day holiday.

The deadline for all other for several hours Thursday reached a fire as soon as it ber one priority as chief," Jordan began, he said it could probably said in regards to last week's

Brockton found itself without a Brockton since taking the oath elections.

the resignation of chief Hartzog. I'm glad to know he will spend While serving as police chief, Cobb began his law enforce-He said the letter indicated that some of that time administering. Cole said Hartzog devoted a lot ment career in 1982 with the

officer Cobb would be in charge to the Lord." of the day-to-day operations of Cole said he and Hartzog had town by having residents Department. He worked with

THE 2004 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON continues Friday, Sept. 3, with the Elba Tigers playing host to the Cole said. "I like the way he Please See COBB, Page 14 Cottonwood Bears, the New Brockton Gamecocks will host Houston County, the Kinston Bulldogs playing host to Ariton, the Zion Chapel Rebels traveling to Florala and the Brantley Bulldogs traveling to Goshen.

THE USDA, RURAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICE in Ozark will be closed Thursday and Friday, Sept. 2 & 3, and will reopen at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 7.

THE CITY OF ELBA offices will be closed Monday, Sept. 6, in observance of Labor Day. There will be standby crews for any emergency with electric, water, street or sewer. To report an emergency, call the Elba Police Department at 897-2555. The garbage schedule will be unchanged, and residents should have their cans by the raod before 6 a.m. on Monday.

THE TOWN OF NEW BROCKTON offices will be closed Monday, Sept. 6, in observance of Labor Day. To report an emergency, call the New Brockton Police Department at 894-5559.

WIREGRASS HOSPICE INC. will conduct its monthly GriefShare group meeting Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 2 p.m. in the ommunity room of The Citizen's Bank, 301 S. Edwards St. (near the courthouse), in Enterprise. This group is open to anyone in the nore information, contact Catrina Arnold at 347-3353.



ment always approaches a blaze

be put out with only a small fire. "We did have one fireman Officer Jerome Cobb asked to oversee daily operations of department several occasions, but Hartzog kept me well informed on the Jordan said. "We (Elba Fire stayed overnight at the hospital by Linda Hodge, Editor Hartzog, who had served as agreed to stay with the depart-matters that I needed to know Department) have a 90 square mostly for precautionary meas- Although the Town of New the chief of police for New ment until after the municipal about."

police chief last week following of office on Sept. 22, 2003, cited "I appreciate what he did for a police chief, Cole said there is Hartzog, Mayor Charles Cole tion. The mayor said Hartzog brought a lot of experience and Cobb is now in charge of the immediately filled the void by wanted to be able to devote knowledge from all his year's in department's daily operations. naming officer Jerome Cobb as more time to his ministry duties, law enforcement, and that was a "He (Cobb) has the authority

"I enjoyed working with him" The mayor said Hartzog was a mayor said. "Officer Cobb has Cole said he presented a letter (Hartzog). He's a fine gentle-, well-respected member of the experience running a departto the police department man and a Christian man," Cole law enforcement community ment, and I feel confident he can employees last Wednesday, said. "I wish him the best in and was well-respected in New handle the day-to-day opera-Aug. 25, officially announcing whatever he wants to do, and Brockton. . tions."

upgrades for the police departs Police Department.

"We had a good relationship," (Hartzog) handled things. He

the day-to-day operations man- as well as, other interests. plus for us." to run the department," the

of time trying to clean up the New , Brockton Police the department effective imme discussed his resignation on address matters regarding old. New Brockton for approximatebuildings and junk cars. Also, he ly three years before moving on said Hartzog handled a lot of to work with other departments administration matters working including Level Plains, Newton, to secure grants and equipment Midland City and the Opp

Cobb also spent six years as



community who has experienced the death of a loved one. For Officer Jerome Cobb currently is handling the day-to-day operaions of the New Brockton Police Department.

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Elba Police Report

# With Ferrin Cox

for that last holiday of the season. In fact, so many are honor jokes," and most of the time I get noon. I decided to drive thru one down hoping to be able to According to my sister ing "Labor Day" that even The Elba Clipper will officially as much enjoyment out of the of those touchless car wash pull the antenna inside before the couldn't have happened to a bet close ... not because we really want to but because those we joke as the person telling it. stalls need to contact are somewhere grilling burgers - or are at the \_\_\_\_\_ I guess I find them so amusing \_\_\_\_\_ I paid for the car wash, got the \_\_\_\_\_ Wrong I forgot that I ran the \_\_\_\_\_ incident would have been more beach, etc. The problem these holidays cause with us is trying like to have those moments when and then the red light to stop for was unable to get the cord all the been with us to make up the lost working hours and still make printing deadyour common sense mode seems the wash, then, the machine way inside In the meantime, the So, for her sake, I hope every lines. Yours truly long ago came to almost detest holidays any to be completely shut down began it's process of spraying sprayer made it to the window, one enjoyed reading about this holiday that messed up the work week! However age is mel. My sister would probably tell soap on my car. lowing us a bit and rather than fight the problem, we close our you that my common sense. I was sitting back, relaxed and soap along with everything else wash. Next time. I'll wash the doors and join the party. However if you see me around the mode NEVER works. office on Monday, just accept the fact that someone is still having trouble accepting not working on a normal work day.

The telephone company recently sent out some of those checks. that automatically sign the endorser up for a monthly internet beginning Monday, Aug. 23, 2004. The scene of a vehicle fire on and open the door! it. Others were not so observant, cashed the check and are now dents one harassment, one break. SUNDAY, AUG. 29 Coffee correct button and get the winfighting \$25:00 charges on their monthly phone bill. We won- ing and entering of a motor vehi- County EMS dispatched to 314 dow up and shut the door, but not der just how many folks actually cashed the checks. Maybe cle, one unauthorized use of a County Rd 263 (1.32 p.m.), before being good and soapy someone should call the Public Service Commission on this vehicle one theft of property, two Vehicle accident reported at the then spent the remainder of the deal. We have always considered such antics as bordering on for driving under the influence, intersection of Hwy 189 S, and the car wash wiping my face, the the shady side, regardless of who does it

The National Republican Convention is underway this week. made; one for possession of a con-We plan to spend exactly the same amount of time watching it trolled substance and two for drivon the tube as we devoted to the National Democratic ingunder the influence. Convention - exactly zero minutes! Of course we will be voting - Traffic citations issued during for George Bush in November, even acknowledging that he the week were as follows: one for isn't perfect either. We are amused at the howling because some dogs running loose, one for driv-Bush supporters are knocking, Kerry's war record as being low line with a suspended driver's license, two for no insurance, one blows. Yet if our memory isn't failing these same anti-Bush for attempting to elude, one for folks spent months accusing George W. of going AWOL when driving without first obtaining a assigned to the Alabama Air National Guard. So often we reap driver's license, one for no tag, one what we sow. This country boy is sick of the whole mess. We for driving with a revoked driver's think there are enough true differences in the two major candi-license, one for an expired tag and dates for everyone to like or dislike without this mud slinging one for speeding.

Daily activity highlights for the mess. Of course we can't pass up the chance to add in "if Kerry week were as follows." would get a position and stay with it." Oops, sorry loyal MONDAY, AUG. 23 Coffee Democrats who were once our friends. County EMS dispatched to 980

A recent gift we received is short recaps from authors who have TUESDAY, AUG. 24 Coffee appeared on the TV program "Booknotes". Boy is it filled with County EMS dispatched to 672 some goodies! An interesting position one writer took on Coffee County EMS dispatched to Vietnam is this: "America actually won - lost the battle but won 1243 Farris Ave. (7:52 p.m.) the war! The writer looked at the big picture - Democracy won Disturbance reported at 111 the Cold War, which is what the whole thing was about." The Factory Ave. (9:03 p.m. writer went on to explain that this military action detracted the WEDNESDAY, AUG. 25 bad guys from expanding their bad stuff into other areas much Disturbance (crowd) reported at faster and gave the good guys time to better organize, build 519 Smith Ave. (4:02 p.m.) strength, etc. and ulitmately win. Interesting concept and one THURSDAY, AUG. 26 River we had never even considered. However, our intentions are to Fire Department dispatched to a follow up on this idea and see if there are others out there who house fire at 5381 Hwy 84 W. endorse and give it credibility. (7:09 p.m.); Coffee County EMS

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chief and one burglary

The following arrests were

.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 5381 Hwy. 84 W. (8:25. p.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-

FRIDAY, AUG. 27 River stage

6.39 feet (6:25 a.m.); Elba Fire Department dispatched to 5381

Hwy 84 W. (7:43 a.m.), Minor wreck reported in the Dairy Queenparking lot (4:35 p.m.); Coffee

Hwy. 189 N. (6:24 p.m.);

Disturbance (noise) reported at Brunson Trailer Park, Lot 4 (10:21p.m.): Disturbance (noise) reported at Mulberry Park (11:05 p.m.). SATURDAY, AUG. 28 - Prowler reported a the residence next to 032 N. Morrow (1:06 a.m.); River stage '- 6,20 feet (6.45 a.m.);

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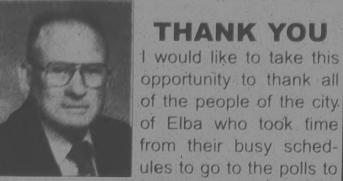
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and I was getting soaked with blonde's trip to the car talking to my sister when all of a inside

The Elba Police Department. Coffee County EMS dispatched to being flustered. I instead re-

investigated the following inci- County Rd 107 (8.36 p.m.) Finally. I manage to press t one assault, five for criminal mis 203 Bypass (11.38 p.m.) dash, steering wheel and any



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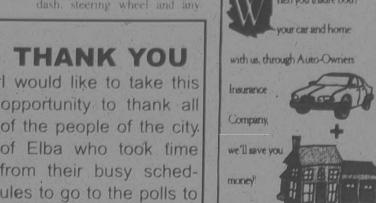
ules to go to the polls to elect their city officials.

especially thank those residents of call us today District #3 who gave me their encouragement and support in the recent election. I am still a concerned citizen of Elba and most sincerely encourage all of the citizens of Elba to get behind and support your elected officials and help move Elba

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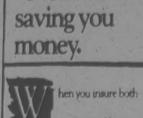
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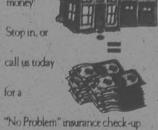
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that have been through this and grade without learning to read? BLACKMON FAMILY

They have to tolerate the in the work force. This makes for all of the support that you AGONY of prolonged 4-6 me worry about children gave to us during our loss. months of withdrawal, and becoming so devastated that The Family of Elizabeth another 6-12 months of difficult there is no way out except drop- Blackmon spiritual growth to be successful - ping out of school at age 16 and against a methamphetamine joining the ever increasing numcuts. There's no pill to take, no to help them cope with life. ATTEND A CHURCH

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needs, there are not enough Facilitator, Through Christ and not as failure. Vera Maddox-Crozier

come out on the other side. They Very few teens will want to We want to express our gratineed the mercy of Jesus Christ graduate from high school when fude for the food, prayers, cards, It takes a lot of courage to quit a they are 20 years old. We fail to flowers and visits during the Christ so they gain that courage. school and, afterwards, failure and Greenville Church of God

> We want to express our grati ude for the food, prayers, cards, owers, and visits during the We would especially like hank Dr. Dyess and the Elha . Camley passed away late Friday.

were convicted of first-degree murder in the "American public

is ram for you. There is no painless expected to join the ranks of the HARREL GRACE STEVENS 11 a.m. Monday, August 23, from and Brenda Carnley of Avon Park Preach against it, educate reach our the the recently pared since 18-year-olds must Aug. 80, 2004 at Zion Chapel. The family received friends at (Teresa) Camley of Millbrook; a

EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS LETTER TO THE EDITOR



THE FAMILY OF RUTH

military. The draft could be Mrs. Harrel Grace (Wilkes) the chapel of Fuqua-Bankston and Michael and Angie Carnley ying in vain to stop. We need to welcome them, instituted by the time some of Stevens, age 85, of Elba, Ala., Funeral Home in Ozark with the of Asbury, a daughter, Debbie into our Bible studies and our teens are old enough to han died Saturday August 28, 2004 Revs. Donnie Earls and Winford Screws of Skipperville; two Churches stand up and say Sunday schools, make an effort dle a deadly weapon Much of at Elba Nursing Home in Elba. King officiating. Interment fol brothers. Travis. (Rosa Bell) We will not tolerate this to reach our to them, just like we the paperwork is already pre- Funeral services were held lowed in Haw Hill Cemetery . Garnley of Spring Hill and Roy

Obituaries

Baptist Church with Rev. Mark the funeral home Sunday evening sister, Judy (Wallace) Eldridge of groups and Bible studies both borhood Invite them to church. I want to say to those devæs- Griffin officiating. Burial fol- from 6 until 8 p.m. for families and addicts. We can We need to hold them account tated students having to repeat lowed in Zion Chapel Baptist. Mr. Carnley was born Oct. 31. dren and two great grandchilwelcome recovering addicts to able, but also extend them a car- the eighth grade, who may have Church Cemetery with Hayes 1933, in Crenshaw County to the dren The family would also like lost hope, to consider it as a sec- Funeral Home of Elba directing. late Joe Lee Carnley and Erie to recognize Mr. Carnley's speond chance to get things right. She was preceded in death by (Flowers) Carnley. He was a cial caregiver. Miss Bessie her husband. Sidney Stevens heavy equipment operator and Danie and a daughter June Brown long-time resident of Abbeville. Asked to serve as active pall Survivors include her daugh- He was a loving husband, father bearers were Wayne Bryant Bill

> Evelyn). Stevens. Huntsville, deeply missed by his family and. Jeremy Carnley. Ala: special daughter: Tita friends. (Mike). Johnson, Montgomery, In addition to his parents. A Ala tour sisters. Agnes Carnley was preceded in death by Thancellor Troy Nell Wilson, brothers Aussie Lee Carnley and Wayne Rugg and Shirley Dean. Charles Carpley and siste

Anne (Alan) Boothe, Troy, and grandfather, affectionately Jorden, Michael Carnley, Justin,

Ala., her son Jimmy D. known as "Paw-Paw." He will be Walker, Ronnie Screws and

Surviving family include his wife of 49 years. Mrs. Gloria JAMES WINDELL BRYAN Camley, a daughter and son-in-Mr. James Windell Bryan, age law. Sue and Donnie Isarls of 90, of Elha Ala died Monday.

for details Samson; three sons and daugh-August 30, 2004 at the Elba ters-in-law, Douglas and Call 897-2225 Daphne Carnley of Elba, Howard COLEMAN FUNERAL HOME

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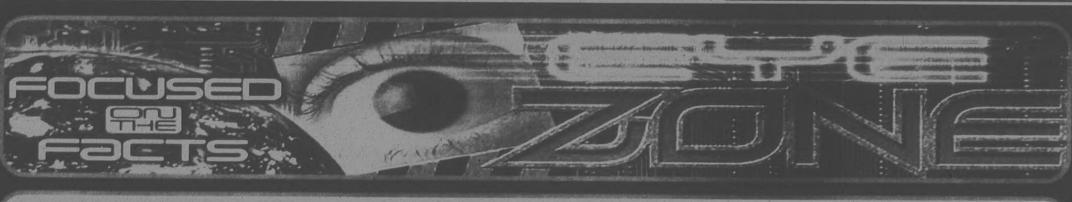
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For I was hungry, and you fed me. I was thirsty, and you gave me drink. I was a stranger, and you invited me into your home...And the King will tell them. "I assure you, when you did it to one of the least of these brothers and sisters; you were doing for me!" Matthew 25: 35-40



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honoring Sister Annie L. Flowers will be held September 4. 2004 at 6:00 p.m. at the Shady Grove AME Church in Elba, featuring, Eria Lindsey Belcher, J. B. Jones Gospel Singers. True Religion. The Traveling Stars and Minister Roderick Rideaux. \*\*\*23rd APPRECIATION SERVICE- for Rev. and Sis. F.L. Flowers to be held

September 5, 2004 at 3:00 p.m., Shady Grove A.M.E. Church in Elba. The guest speaker will be Rev. Harvey Williams, pastor of Springfield Baptist Church. \*\*\*MULBERRY BAPTIST DISTRICT ASSOCIATION-LAYMEN'S DEPARTMENTwill meet the following dates at ne Mulberry District

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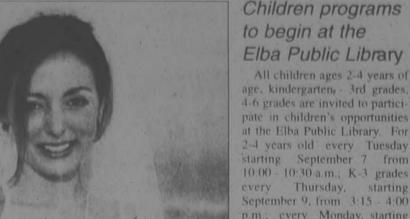
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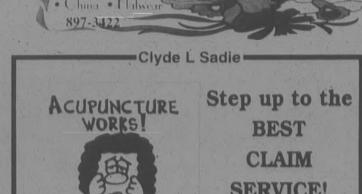
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## The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

ible that almost everyone was backing at least one candidate in one wonders for this once proud program. of the races. The yard signs kept the name of the candidates in front of the citizens and made some of us wonder just why they support- FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH. 3. ed one and why they were against the other. Oh well, now that the make the next four years in Elba our best years ever!

what went wrong after the Tigers got roughed up 47-26 by their 1A Brantley worked well. rivals from Crenshaw County.

field. Kikko Logan had a big night at running back as he gained over ference to many and will have little or no impact on the game, but Florida line this week to hunt Wildcats in Covington County, and 100 yards and scored two touchdowns, while quarterback Brandon after one game it does seem like a good change. Kelly also unveiled his running ability and added over 65 yards \*\*\* The Elba Tiger volleyball team opened its season last week ago. These 'Cats have gotten harder to track every year, and rushing to go along with his 164 yards and two touchdowns in the and after one week of action owns a 2-2 record. Both losses came to Friday night should be able to avoid the Rebels and their traps. air. The Tigers had six receivers eatch passes, which also shows the 6A Enterprise, while the wins came over 6A Dothan and 1A Zion FLORALA 29 ZION CHAPEL 7 many weapons available in the Elba offensive arsenal. While I am Chapel. The volleyball team includes four seniors that have been sure the offensive players were disappointed they didn't put more playing together for a couple of years, and this could be the year BRANTLEY VS. GOSHEN

points on the board, a twenty-six point night ain't that bad. they get past region and make a trip to state. a few big plays, they were few and far between, and for the most stands.

effort, but after one exhibition game and one regular season game having a successful football program. Thanks Coach Sanders, you Washington County 36 Red Level 29 the natives are already getting restless.

### AREA TEAMS HAVE MIXED REVIEWS IN OPENING WEEK POLISH PROGNOSTICATOR PICKS THE PREPS

The high school season kicked off all across the state last Friday Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator dropped by early Sunday morning W.S. Neal 16 Pike County 14 night and in the area it was a pretty good week even though the and stated that while he did connect on 19 of 27 picks, some of the Andalusia 35 Gulf Shores 17

and well by rolling past county rival Zion Chapel 41-14. The Washington over Pike County and Straughn over Opp, but still Trinity 56 Ashford 0 Gamecocks have ignored the move to a wide-open offensive attack couldn't believe that McKenzie. Samson, Abbeville and Dothan, all Stanhope Elmore 34 Carroll 16 by many teams and Friday night rolled up over 300 yards on the pulled off upsets. He said this week was harder to predict than the Charles Henderson 28 Eufaula 14 ground out of its wing-t alignment. Football in New Brockton has opening week, but did leave his picks for week #2. been successful for many years, and that success has always been because of hard work and dedication to the game. It may not always ELBA VS. COTTONWOOD be pretty, but it works and the Gamecocks win. Bottom line!

\*\*\* Kinston Bulldogs let one slip away Friday night in a 32-26 loss to 4A Bullock County. The Bulldogs owned a 20-7 lead late in fumbled on the final play of the half and watched as Bullock County unsuccessful on-sides kick that gave Bullock County excellent field-position, and the Hornets then scored with 03 left to claim the The Elba Tigers will be look past two seasons. Other win. The loss had to hurt, but maybe, the players and coaches learned ing to bounce back from last returnees include center Brian something and will use that knowledge in weeks to come. Maybe week's season opening loss and Brackin (240), guard Michael

these 'Dogs aren't as bad as many thought. \*\*\* Zion Chapel Rebels got blasted 41-14 by New Brockton and the same time Friday night Taylor (220), tight-end Marquis the Rebels need something good to happen soon if they are to be the when they host the Cottonwood Coachman (195), fullback team many expected after the spring. Zion Chapel did play hard on Bears, at Tiger Stadium. Dexter Williams (185) and rundefense and made some big plays, while over on offense the Rebels The Tigers will enter the ning back Ray-Shawn Tillman showed promise and should only get better as the season rolls along game with an 0-1 record after (175). There aren't any easy wins on the schedule. However, one game losing to Brantley 47-26, while "We want to use multiple fordoesn't make or break a season and the Rebels have to keep their the Bears will also enter the mations on offense and not be

heads up and keep working hard. \*\*\* Brantley Bulldogs unleashed their potent running attack in a losing to Rehobeth 41-34, in Coach Whitcomb. "We must 47 point explosion in last week's win over Elba and let everyone double overtime. know that this pack of 'Dogs has no intention of giving up its dom- "Cottonwood has a very down and long, but we also inance in its region, or anywhere else in South Alabama. Brantley sound football team in all areas want to run the football. We are took command at the line of scrimmage to down play any thoughts and will provide us with a chaldefinitely a running football about a weak offensive line, and just made it clear once again that it lenge on both sides of the foothad running backs that were as good as any. After last week's open-ball," stated Elba's Coach Scott things that will prevent our ing week win, the Bulldogs have to be considered a state contender Rials. "Coach Whitcomb has opponents from being able to big night on offense with on both sides of the ball

### OPENING WEEK OF ACTION PROVIDES MANY SURPRISES Cottonwood believe they can ago we were terrible on

The opening week of the high school football season is always will come over here looking to over the last half of last season hard every day to get better and each and every week. There are filled with excitement and surprises, and that was the case again last win and move atop the region we got better on defense and will keep working hard. We no easy games on the schedule week as the season kicked off all across the state. Here are a few standings, and will get after us now I feel like we can put it all know where we need to spend and each game will be a chalgames that deserve mention

\*\*\* Straughn made it clear that it is still a 3A contender by Cottonwood posted a 5-5 will be better on defense." blanking 4A neighbor Andalusia 10-0. While the Tigers did have record in its first year under vet "Despite what many of our very high and last week's loss is to get better." some problems moving the ball at times on offense, their defense eran coach Williard Whitcomb, fans may think we did show in the past. We have to learn Kick off for Friday night's was in command throughout the game and all in all it was a very but improved to 6-7 the follow- some improvement in many from our mistakes and move game will be 7:30 PM. impressive win for the men from the woods.

\*\*\* Pike County dropped its opener to Booker T. Washington ed an 8-4 record before being Brantley," said Coach Rials. be Our fans need to be patient 18-0 and has now been outscored 51-0 when you add the preseason ousted in the second round of "On offense we ran much more game to the season opener. While B.T.W. is much better than many the state playoffs. people know and the Bulldogs are down after last year's state title "We have high expectations picked up real well to all the run, Pike County still fought for all four quarters and didn't lose every year." said Coach calls. We made some mistakes because of a lack of effort or intensity. Don't write'em off quite yet. Whitcomb in a preseason inter- that hurt us and must protect the \*\*\* Dothan made lots of noise and let everyone know they are view. "That hasn't changed. The football better if we are going to back in a big way as the Tigers clobbered Jeff Davis 48-14. The only thing that has changed is sustain drives, but overall we boys from Montgomery were expected to have an easy time with the guys who were in the eighth did show some improvement on their Wiregrass opponents, but Dothan took charge early and once grade when I got here and now offense and found out some the Tigers tasted blood it was all over. It is hard to tell just how good in the eleventh grade. Now they things about some of our playa team is after one week, but Friday night Dothan was back, big know what to do. Our kids have ers. We got whipped up front on

\*\*\* Enterprise unleashed its passing attack and rolled past good effort into our preparation. tackling in the open field. Our Carroll, of Ozark, 34-13, The Wildcats' offense was non-existent in The goal is to get into the state players have to develop an attia preseason loss to Hoover, but came to life Friday night and made playoffs and contend for a state tude on the defensive side of the it look easy against the outmatched Eagles. Many people from title." across the county think this is the year for the Wildcats, and after The Bears will dress out 45 under control at the same time.

last week's showing, it just might be. \*\*\* McKenzie followed up its 12-1 record in 2002 with an 0-10 region opener against Elba and going to do and worked to get slate in 2003. So, no one knew quite what to expect last week when will return eight starters on ready to stop it. However, we the Tigers hit the field to battle 2A Flomaton. Now we know! The defense and seven starters on didn't make the plays and they Tigers stunned the Hurricanes 14-8 and made it clear that this year offense. will be payback time for McKenzie. I guess a lot of fans will have Leading the way on offense the road." to erase that circle around McKenzie that was put there to signify an will be senior quarterback Allen "I know everyone is disap-

\*\*\* Opp kicked a field-goal in overtime to defeat Luverne 19-16 games at quarterback over the last week's game," added Coach

The Bobeats were a question mark after Wood took the head job the yet to grow claws on defense and are giving up points faster than the opening week of preseason practice, but last week they claimed a dollar wheel can go around at a gas station. This week some mean win over a very good Luverne team and kept former Bobcat star 'ole Bears from over in the Wiregrass will cross the bridge, and Mike Dubose winless against his Alma Mater. Don't be fooled; unless the felines can find some mighty heavy collars, they might however, both of these teams are good.

\*\*\* Abbeville bounced back from its 0-10 season of a year ago COTTONWOOD 34 ELBA 33 by posting a big 62-7 win over Barbour County. The Yellow Jackets Last week's city elections created a lot of interest all across town. have been down for years and no one thought this year would be any NEW BROCKTON VS. HOUSTON COUNTY and it was evident from the large number of yard signs that were vis-different. However, a win, even one over Barbour County, will work. The Gamecocks didn't lose a feather last week up in Jack at the

Elba sidelines, but it seemed to me that the public address announc- spell bad news. er from Brantley never let his microphone get cool for all four quar- HOUSTON COUNTY 22 NEW BROCKTON 20 TIGERS GET ROUGHED UP IN SEASON OPENING LOSS ters. The P.A. announcer did everything but give the time and temperature, and must have been told prior to the game that he was sup- KINSTON VS. ARITON The Elba Tigers and their fans were sky high and confident last posed to talk throughout the game and every time-out. I am sure the The Bulldogs from south Coffee County got stung by a bunch of week as they headed up to Brantley for the season opening football fans on the Brantley side enjoyed his constant commentary, but at hornets late in the game last week and could still be hurting after game against the Brantley Bulldogs, but after the game the fans many stadiums the-men upstairs simply announce the game and watching a win slip away. The 'Dogs had better heal up in a hurry; were left scratching their heads and the players were wondering identify numbers. One thing's for certain, the loud speakers at however, because some purple looking 'Cats are heading to town

\*\*\* I watched some of the Southern Cal win over Virginia Tech Not again! The Elba offense moved the ball throughout the game, and even and like the change to announce the number of the player that makes ARITON 27 KINSTON 13 though it only scored one touchdown in the second half, it stopped a penalty. In basketball a player's number is told when he makes a itself with little mistakes and showed once again that it does indeed foul and in baseball all errors are reported. So. Why not identify the ZION CHAPEL VS. FLORALA have the skills to light up the scoreboard every time it takes the player that makes a penalty on football. It might not make any dif-

The Elba defense gave up over forty points for the second straight week and allowed almost ten yards per play to the Brantley offense.

\*\*\* The Elba Youth Football League has its biggest number of players ever and hopes are high that the excitement among the players ever and hopes are high that the excitement which snapped the ball 49 times and rolled up 393 yards in total ers will turn into wins on the field. The midgets (ages 6-8) have 33 hunting. The 'Dogs had better make plans to hide some of their offense. The defense played on its heels throughout the game and players on their roster, while 36 players are on the termites (ages 9 birds, because if the game warden drops by 1 am sure they will be rarely had any penetration across the line of scrimmage as it tried to 10) and 18 players are on the pee wees (ages 11-12). The big turnout way over the limit. find someone in a green jersey to tackle. While the Tigers did make should at least guarantee lots of noise at the games coming from the BRANTLEY 48 GOSHEN 8

\*\*\* Everyone should give Mike Sanders a big pat on the back for OTHER PICKS: It is never good to dwell on negatives. However, unless Elba can his hard work on the sidelines at all Elba Tiger football games. As find eleven players that want to be on defense and want to hit some—the number of coaches has shrunk in recent years so has the ability—Pleasant Home 29 McKenzie 27 body, what appeared to be a big year could dissolve quickly into just to keep the players fresh and equipment repaired during games. Southern Choctaw 26 Flomaton 6 another losing season. I believe the parents and fans will be there to. Mike has volunteered to work the sidelines, supervise the managers. Houston Academy 24 Geneva County 7 show their support as long as the players and coaches give their best and keep the "little" things taken care of that are such a big part of Luverne 27 Marbury 13 are a big part of the team.

teams combined for a 2-2 record. Here's a quick look back.... ones he missed were true upsets. The local guesspert pointed out Daleville 15 Rehobeth 10 \*\*\* New Brockton made it clear that the Gamecocks are alive that he nailed such toss-ups as Rehobeth over Cottonwood, B.T. Opp 21 Geneva 14

The Pea River felines from down in Elba have shown they can

and gave Coach Johnny Wood a win in his debut with the Bobcats. run up and down the field and put points on the scoreboard, but have just get pushed around, again.

first contest of the season and this week will be looking to stay well even though word is that a batch of Lions is heading their way from near the Georgia line. While there is no doubt the Gamecocks will have own their spurs Friday night and will be will kicking high, the election is over we can all hope that they will work together and \*\*\* It may have seemed worse because of the fact I was on the Lions may be hungry for poultry after the long trip and that could

this week and in years past they have left the Bulldogs feeling blue.

the troops have to be hungry after missing out on a chicken dinner

The Bulldogs from across the river in Crenshaw County chased

Samson 22 Wicksburg 21 Dale County 20 Abbeville 18 Slocomb 28 Headland 7 T.R. Miller 24 Straughn 16 Auburn 17 Northview 10

# loss to 4A Bullock County. The Bulldogs owned a 20-7 lead late in the half and had a chance to open up a three-touchdown lead, but Elba Tigers looking to bounce back from opening scooped up the loose ball and went 98 yards to cut the lead to 20-13 at intermission. After scoring late to pull even, Kinston tried an loss with region victory over Cottonwood Bears

game with an 0-1 record after too one dimensional," added

ing season and last season post- areas last week against forward to be as good as we can

worked hard and have put a defense and still had problems

players Friday night for their We knew what Brantley was

claim an important region win at Price (190), tackle Daniel

learn how to convert on third

power and the people in "When I got here three years 2 touchdowns. make it to Birmingham. They defense," said Whitcomb, "but Rials, "but the players work and support these young men on every play of the game." together on defense and that we some extra time and will do just lenge. We have to work hard to

did. The result was a big loss on Williams, who has started 25 pointed about the outcome of

football and be aggressive, but





slowly built his team into a 2A just line up and stop the run." over 100 yards rushing and last week and will lead the Tigers this week.

that. Our expectations are still get better and we will work hard

## **ELBA TIGER** VOLLEYBALL

Thursday, Sept. 2 Elba at Samson (JV-V) 4:00

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Thursday, Sept. 9 Opp at Elba' (JV-V) 4:00

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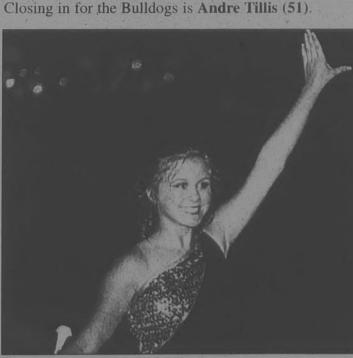
Brantley's Devaris Skanes (5) follows teammate Chris Booker (25) around the cor- Elba's Kikko Logan (2) fights for extra yardage after running into Brantley defendner for a big gain. Skanes gained 145 yards on 21 carries and scored 5 touchdowns, er Lance Morgan (7). Closing in to help with the stop is Bulldog teammate Terrell while Booker added 201 yards on 18 carries and scored 2 touchdowns in the Bulldogs' Burnett (22). Logan gained 101 yards and scored 2 touchdowns in the Tigers' season 47-26 win over Elba. Trying to catch the speedster from behind is Elba's Guy opening loss to the Bulldogs.



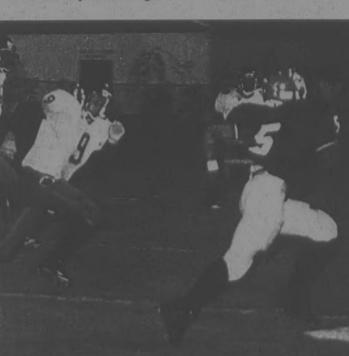
# Brantley Bulldogs explode in second half to bury Elba 47-26



Elba's Reymar Rodgers (4) looks for room to run after to get on the scoreboard. Kikko early, while a 26-yard gain by fourth quarter the Brantley lead Jessie Thigpen, Carlos Aruz. pulling in a pass in action last week against Brantley. ries to lead the scoring march on moved the Tigers to the Brantley received the ensuing Brandy Kelly all had 4 stops.



Elba Marching Tiger majorette Shelby Brunson per- time it took the Tigers four plays went in trailing 22-19. formed at halftime to the large crowd at last week's to reach paydirt. Brandon Kelly Brantley began its first pos-Elba-Brantley football game.



Brantley's Devaris Skanes (5) heads for the sidelines in Bulldogs' second play of the 'Dogs were in command with a last week's big win over Elba. Skanes scored 5 touch- ensuing possession gave the 34-19 lead. downs to lead the Bulldogs to the win. Closing in for the Elba 3-yardline, and two session at its own 45-yardline Elba is Joseph Platt (9).

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Brunson and Janet Brunson at 15-12.

Tigers 47-26.

Brantley score came on a 14- extra-point and with :10 left in Bulldogs wanted to score again Support Our yard dash around the corner by the half the Tigers had cut the as Booker and Skanes remained Devaris Skanes and Marcus Brantley lead to 22-19. Owens booted the extra-point as Elba's Jacob Forbes recov-Brantley moved ahead 7-6 with ered an on-sides kick on the 4:57 remaining in the quarter. ensuing kick off and Kelly con-

appeared ready to strike again, only four plays. Chris Booker Brantley 29-yardline.

plays later Devaris Skanes following a fumble recovery swept the left side untouched to and this time the Bulldogs put Brantley back in the end- marched 55 yards in seven plays zone. Edgar Walker passed to to add to their growing advan-

Brantley Bulldogs and had no its advantage. A 26-yard pass had taken control by opening up 47-26 win. answer for the Bulldogs' power- from Edgar Walker to Shane a 41-19 advantage. ful running attack as Brantley Corley was a key play in the Elba began its next series at yards on 16 carries and scored 2 took command in the second drive, while Devaris Skanes its own 26-yardline following a touchdowns to lead Elba on the half and pulled away to bury the gained 19 yards on four carries 25-yard kick off return by ground, while in the air Brandon Brantley gained 367 yards on 2-yard run. Owens kicked the promptly marched 74 yards in with one interception, for 164 the ground and averaged over 8 extra-point and with 3:20 eight plays to cut into the yards and 2 scores. Mason

Chris Booker with 200 yards on lead was up to 22-12. from Brandon Kelly to Mason with 2 catches for 82 yards, 18 carries and senior Devaris Elba began its next posses- Gulley on the first play of the while Joseph Platt pulled in a kanes with 145 yards on 21 sion at its own 27-yardline and possession was the key play in 22-yard scoring toss and Guy Elba kicked off to open the to cut into the Brantley lead. A Logan got the touchdown on a down catch. Anderson also game, but got the ball right back 4-yard run by Brandon Kelly on 3-yard run up the middle. Evan made 7 tackles to lead the Elba on a Brantley punt and prompt- fourth down and 1 at the Elba Tew tacked on the extra-point defense, while Bradley Bane ly marched 54 yards in 7 plays 36-yardline kept the drive alive and with 10:04 remaining in the had 5 stops and 2 assists, and Logan gained 27 yards on 4 car- Kikko Logan on a draw play stood at 41-26. the ground, while the touch- Brantley 25-yardline. The drive kick off and squashed any hopes down came on an 18-yard bogged down after the run by of an Elba comeback by marchtouchdown pass from Brandon Logan and three plays later the ing 61 yards in only five play

Kelly to Guy Anderson. The Tigers faced a fourth down and to extend its lead. Chris Booke extra-point attempt sailed wide, 7 at the Brantley 22. Brandon capped the scoring drive with but with 7:44 remaining in the Kelly dropped back to pass on 30-yard touchdown run, as opening stanza the Tigers were the fourth down play, dodged a even though the extra-point number of Bulldog linemen and was blocked, Brantley owned Brantley's Chris Booker found Joseph Platt wide open 47-26 lead with 7:04 left in the returned the ensuing kick off 45 'near the endzone. Platt pulled in game. yards to put the Bulldogs in the Kelly pass at the 1-yardline Brantley got the ball back business at the Elba 35-yardline, and walked into the endzone for a pass interception by Za and five plays later the 'Dogs' the Tigers' third touchdown of Kilcrease with 5:55 left on the were in the endzone. The the half. Evan Tew booted the clock and it appeared the

Elba's LaRay Williams nected with Mason Gulley for a returned the Brantley kick off 29-yard gain on first down. 57 yards to put the Tigers right However, the clock never back in business at the stopped after the first down play

gained 30 yards on two carries session of the second half at the to highlight the short scoring Elba 44-yardline following a and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? march, while Kikko Logan 19-yard punt return by Devaris scored the touchdown on a 5- Skanes and one play later the yard blast up the middle. A two- Bulldogs had added to its lead point pass fell incomplete, but as Skanes broke loose around with 4:15 remaining in the first the corner and raced down the quarter Elba was back on top sidelines 35 yards for a touchdown. A low snap foiled the Brantley was forced to punt extra-point try, but with 9:47 left on its next possession, but the in the third quarter the Tigers' offense was ready to put Bulldogs' lead was up to 28-19. and quickly marched 25 yards in fourth down and four at midfive plays to reach a first down field on its ensuing possession, at the Brantley 48-yardline. and Brantley needed only four Brandon Kelly hit Reymar plays to cash in from the mid-Rodgers with a quick pass field stripe as the Bulldogs covacross the middle and the Tigers ered the 50 yards to paydirt in

but Rodgers lost the handle on and Devaris Skanes took turns the ball after a tackle and the banging heads with the Elba potential scoring march was defense, and it was Skanes that stopped on the fumble at the scored the touchdown on a 5yard dash. The extra-point A 62-yard scamper by attempt was blocked, and with Brantley's Chris Booker on the 7:25 left in the third quarter the 'Dogs a first down and goal at Brantley began its next pos-

Shane Corley for the two-point tage. Devaris Skanes and Jeffery conversation and with 7:53 Daniels combined for 32 yards

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor remaining in the second quarter on four carries on the scoring eating up big chunks of yardage Pictures by Mike Capps. Greg Brantley had regained the lead march, while Devaris Skanes against the weary Elba defense. did the rest and scored the A 38-yard touchdown run by Brantley regained possession - touchdown on a 12-yard scam- Booker was wiped off by a hold-The Elba Tigers kicked off the at its own 44-yardline after an per. Marcus Owens kicked the ing penalty, and Brantley then 2004 high school football sea- Elba punt and this time marched extra-point and with 2:27 still decided to simply run out the son Friday night against the 56 yards in seven plays to add to left in the third quarter Brantley clock as the Bulldogs posted the

and scored the touchdown on a LaRay Williams, and the Tigers Kelly completed 10 of 25 passes vards a carry, led by sophomore remaining in the half Brantley's Brantley lead. A 53-yard pass Gulley' led the Tiger receivers

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Zion Chapel quarterback Abe Childs (4) turns to hand off to running back Brandon Taylor (25) in last week's cross county clash between the Rebels and the New Brockton Gamecocks. The Gamecocks won the annual clash 41-14.

## Gamecocks spur Zion Chapel 41-14

The New Brockton Chapel turned the Gamecocks Gamecocks went in at intermits down stop to force Bullock Gamecocks kicked off the sea- back on a fourth down play at sion with a big 28-0 advantage. County to punt son Friday night with an impres- the Zion Chapel 13-yardline. Both teams turned the ball sive 41-14 win over the cross- The defensive stand only over on their first possessions of county rival Zion Chapel delayed New Brockton's next the second half, and it was the Parker and a number of Bullock Rebels, at Green Memorial score; however, as on fourth Rebels that took advantage of a County penalties, and reached a

Sheridan Foster gained 88 yards /

while Justin West and Wesley handoff and rambled 20 yards came on a 6-yard dash by Junior County pass and returned the McCormick both added 7 tack- for a touchdown. The extra- Magwood. The extra-point try offense by Charlie Hurd with 47 remaining in the second quarter. Gamecocks were back in charge

the scoreboard for the first time once again marched into the when the Gamecocks fumbled this season when Junior endzone. Sheridan Foster the punt, and Zion Chapel Magwood raced 44 yards on the capped the drive with a 1-yard quickly cashed in on the third play of the game. Heath touchdown plunge, and after an turnover as Abe Childs connect Danford tacked on the extra- unsuccessful extra-point try, the ed with Austin Smith for a 12point and with just 1:39 gone in Gamecocks went back up field yard touchdown strike. The duo the game New Brockton was off with a 21-0 advantage with 7:17 hooked up again for the twoand running with a quick 7-0 still left in the second stanza. point conversion and with 5:14

the night and gave the ball back. Sheridan Foster scored the booted the extra-point.

available.

Chapel 20-yard- ter. line to put New Brockton was deter-New Brockton mined to regain command of the scored 1 touchdown. Medley the Gamecocks cashed in on the Derrick Cook on third down and also led the way on defense as scoring opportunity as on first 14 was the key play in the scoralits own as on third down Cole he had 12 tackles, 7 solo stops, down Junior Magwood took a ing march, while the touchdown Meeks intercepted a Bullock

yards on 17 carries and 1 touch- New Brockton was on top 15-0. with a 34-7 lead. New Brockton got the ball The Rebels got a break fol The Gamecocks jumped on right back on a Rebel punt and lowing their next possession

line on its initial possession of one final chance to score, ior Tanner Medley, and Danford

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Story and pictures by Robby to the Gamecocks, but this time touchdown on a 10-yard run up the Rebel defense rose up and the middle, and Danford kicked

down the snap on a punt attempt fumble recovery to score their first down at the Hornets 15-The Gamecocks jumped out sailed over the head of the Rebel first points of the season yardline. Two penalties against Kinston quarterback Garret Parker (10) is off and The Gamecocks' Justin extra-point as Zion Chapel cut Joseph McCrummen for a 20- key region contest. kick to the Zion with 2:19 left in the third quar-

> right back contest and did just that as the in busi- Gamecocks answered the Rebel

County 25-yardline to put the keep the scoring threat alive, first down at the Kinston 25-

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## Kinston Bulldogs drop season opener to Bullock County Hornets 32-26

Story by Scott Johnson Photos by Mary Johnson

A packed house was on hand Friday night for the Kinston Bulldogs first home game of the eason against the 4A Bullock the young 1A Bulldogs were not favored to win, they did give the Hornets all they wanted and led for most of the game before surendering a late score to come out on the short end of an exciting 32-26 decision.

Neither team had much sucess on their initial possession of the game as penalties bogged The Kinston defense came up

defended its endzone as Zion the extra-point as the McCrummen made a key third

yard gain, the big gain only moved the Bulldogs back near

on a fourth down and 2 gamble before the half as a Zion Chapel The final score of the night Hornets cold on Bullock at the New Brockton 47-yard- penalty gave the Gamecocks came on a 48-yard dash by sen- County's next possession, and a

kept again and this time raced handoff and sprinted down the but with under three minutes left in the half the Bulldogs 10-yardline, and it looked like Bullock County recovered an

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territory after a Bulldog punt, for 7:00. and this time moved back into the endzone, with Broderick Ellis scoring the touchdown on a 2-yard blast up the middle.



to a 28-0 lead and easily held on punter and rolled out of the endto a 28-0 lead and easily held on punter and rolled out of the endChanel touchdown on a 3-vard
Chanel touchdown on a 3-vard
This could be punter and rolled out of the endKinston backed the Bulldogs up
running in last week's season opener against Bullock Magwood led the offense Gamecocks' lead to 9-0. run, and Abe Childs booted the though Parker did connect with County. The Bulldogs will host Ariton Friday night in a



New Brockton got on the left on the clock New the play of Brad Elmore and a Bullock County runner for a short gain in last week's Zion Chapel failed to convert scoreboard one more time Brockton's lead stood at 34-14. Mitchell Whaley, stopped the season opening action. The Bulldogs lost to the Hornets

bad snap on fourth down gave. The extra-point try failed, but 26-20. the ball back to Kinston in with time running down in the The Hornets' lead didn't last half Kinston was in command for long; however, as on the Garret Parker kept the ball on with a 20-7 advantage. ensuing kick off Keith Tew

he ground on the ensuing pos- Lee McCrummen and Dustin picked up the ball inside the 10session and got the drive off to a Hanks combined for a sack on yardline, followed good blockquick start when he faked a fourth down at the Kinston 43- ing to reach midfield and then handoff and raced around the yardline on Bullock County's cut back to the left sideline and end for a big gain. A penalty for ensuing possession to give the out ran the Bullock County grabbing the face mask tacked. Dogs a chance to add to their defenders for a 91-yard kick off on extra yardage on the play, lead, and with 1:30 remaining return for a touchdown. The and on the very next play Parker on the clock Keith Tew took a two-point try was stopped short, 24 yards for a Kinston touch-field 38 yards. A face mask remaining on the clock the down. Parker added the two- penalty on the tackle moved the Bulldogs had pulled even at 26point conversion, and with 4:40 ball inside the Bullock County 26.

the Bulldogs were ready to put on-sides kick attempt at its own ntercepted a Hornet pass and . Rob Sanders recovered a off and kept the ball on the eturned it to the Bullock Bulldog bobble on first down to ground as the Hornets reached a Bulldogs right back in business, while on second down Cole yardline with 28 ticks left on the Meeks powered his way inside clock. The Hornets had to go the the three. The scoring threat airways in an attempt to beat the ended for the Bulldogs on the clock, and with :03 remaining next play; however, as a fumble hit paydirt when Maquaris was scooped up by Bullock Goshe pulled in a touchdown County's Dennis Young and the pass to give the Hornets the wild speedy Hornet defender raced 32-26 win.

scored on a 17-yard run.

The extra-point try was blocked,

but Bullock County was on top

untouched 98 yards for a Kinston head coach Larry Bullock County score to cut the Cotney was pleased with the Kinston lead to 20-13 at the Bulldogs effort in the regular Brad Elmore and Cole Meeks stated he would have liked to sparked the Kinston defense have seen more consistency, he early in the third quarter as the praised the efforts of his young Bulldogs turned back a Bullock team. County scoring threat, but the "Our kids played their hearts Hornets headed toward the end- out tonight," said Coach

but got the ball back in Kinston region opener, with kick off set

zone on their second possession Cotney. "Ariton is consistently a of the half and pulled even at playoff team and we will have to 20-20 when Kenteus Henry be better in all facets next Bullock County turned the Kinston will host the Purple ball over on its next possession, Cats next week in both team's

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# Area teams ready for action as region schedule kicks off Friday night

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### HOUSTON COUNTY (1-0) AT NEW BROCKTON (1-0)

Following are previews of this week's game

The New Brockton Gamecocks will be looking to get their sec-showed everyone in attendance that the Bulldog defense would be. However, the scoreboard will read 0-0 when they kick it off, and the and win of the young season and move atop the region standings seen this season. Friday might when they host the Houston County Lions.

The New Brockton defense will be tested this week when attack. season combined for over 1,900 yards and scored 21 touchdowns. a week ago. The Lions defense has nine starters back from a year ago, and dom't mated play last week to lead the way to the opening week win. This game should be a quick one since both teams love to run the giant leg up on earning a spot in the state playoffs.

### ARITON (1-0) AT KINSTON (0-1)

visitors from Ariton Friday night when they host the Ariton Purple Gamecock scoring threat.

tate and this week will bring with it the opening week of region The Bulldogs were expected to struggle this season with a young title and the Wildcats opened the season with a bang last week by team and a first time head coach, but Kinston had chances last week posting a 26-0 win over J.U. Blacksher. The Wildcats turned the Three area teams will tangle with teams that were victorious last in its opener against 4A Bullock County and except for mistakes corner last year and posted a 6-6 record under Coach Doug Vickery. week, in their season openers, while the fourth will renew an old could have easily pulled off the upset. Quarterback Garrett Parker led by the play of quarterback Robbie Evans, a 6-1, 202 pound junhad a big night both running and passing and will need to be bal- ior. Evans passed for over 1,500 yards a year ago in the 'Cats spread', anced this week against the rugged Purple Cat defense, while Keith offense, and with running backs Cordelius Smiley and Victor Tew had a number of big gains and returned a kick off 91 yards for - Hobdy also back, the Wildcats should indeed be a team to watch. a touchdown. Over on defense the Bulldogs battled until the final Zion Chapel knows going in that it will take a near prefect game play, and led by Cole Meeks, Lee McCrummen and Brad Elmore. to have any chance at all against the high-powered Wildcats.

Ariton opened the season with a hard tought 19-12 win over 2A The Gamecocks steam rolled past Zion Chapel 41-14 last week Wicksburg and the Purple Cats will be looking to work out some of BRANTLEY (1-0) AT GOSHEN (0-1) and once again proved they could run the football effectively out of the kinks this week against a Bulldog team it has dominated over the wing-t formation as Junior Magwood and Sheridan Foster com- the years. Veteran coach Julius Head is back at the helm and expects. The Brantley Bulldogs will be looking to move to 2-0 and take its bined for 247 yards and 3 touchdowns. New Brockton was strong as his team to be a contender for a playoff berth. The Ariton offense usual place atop the region standings Friday night when they travel always on defense, and led by the play of Tanner Medley, Justin will be led by senior quarterback Joseph Vanzandt, who last season to Goshen to battle the Goshen Eagles West and Wesley McCormick, limited the Rebels to only 156 total passed for 1,441, yards and 17 touchdowns, while running back. The Bulldogs opened their season last week with a resounding Brandon Casey is also back and gives the Cats a well balanced 47-26 win over 2A Elba, and unleashed a powerful 1-2 punch in the

Houston County invades Gamecock Stadium fresh off a stunning While the Bulldogs will be huge underdogs in Friday night's over 350 yards and score 7 touchdowns. Brantley's defense did give 28-7 win over 4A Ashford. The Lions have a potent 1-2 punch in the match up. Kinston does have the talent to make it a game and with up some vardage and four scores, but will look to return to its dombackfield led by Seabron Harris and Tavares Black, a duo that last a few breaks could very well pull off the upset that eluded them just inance this week and make a statement to all its region foes.

### ZION CHAPEL (0-1) AT FLORALA (1-0)

Florala to tangle with the Florala Wildcats

The Rebels struggled early and often last week in a 41-14 season progresses, and will be looking to put last week's loss in the past. tions over last week's disappointing loss to Bullock County on their Rebel defense had a goal line stand in the first half to turn back a across loud and clear against what appears to be an outmatched

some early noise in the region race Friday night when they travel to Foster (5-8, 160) and Lacorey Teague (5-9, 175). With nine starters

## Rebels need a good game to set the tone for the rest of the season.

backfield with Devaris Skanes and Chris Booker combining to gain

The Eagles took it on the chin 35-6 last week to 2A power Red Level, but Goshen will be at home in week #2 and will hope that the home field advantage will make a difference. The Eagles return eight starters on offense from last year's 3-7 team, and will be led ootball and keep the clock running, and it will give one team a The Zion Chapel Rebels will be hoping to bounce back and make by quarterback Judson Ricks (6-1, 160) and running backs Derrick back on defense the Eagles should improve quickly as the season opening loss to New Brockton, but did have some positives as quar- Brantley has totally dominated region play the last two years and The Kinston Bulldogs will be looking to take out their frustra- terback Abe Childs had success both running and passing, and the will be looking to make a statement Friday night. It should come

## Jason Hogan wins 100 lap Late Model Hunters Education courses set for South Alabama feature in at South Alabama Speedway

By Mark Chisum

Saturday night, but it was anoth-ered flag, Willard slipped past nine and went on to win. John 347-946

as they exited turn two. The cau- Windham fourth, and Scott 3. David Ashley tion flew again on lap 63, and Johnson fifth.

Wayne Willard had been on a wall trying to keep pace with out of turn four, Morse slipped roll in Super Late Model com- Hogan. With ten laps to go, just enough for Mack to grab the petition at South Alabama Hogan enjoyed a comfortable lead at the line. Morse crossed Speedway in 2004. Willard won lead over McFarland, Anderson, the line sideways in second. the season opening Rattler 150 Willard, and Ronnie Sanders. Sam Smith finished a close COFFEE COUNTY and backed that win up with a Anderson moved past third. Jason Fowler was fourth win in a 100-lap Late Model McFarland with five laps to go. with Michael Hughes fifth. In County Farm Center; 347-9467. event in April, Willard was Willard followed a lap later. As the Roadrunner Feature, Jerry November 8-9-10, 5:30 - 9:00; quickly tabbed the favorite. Hogan flashed under the checks. Hudson took the lead on lap Cottee County Farm Center,

er Georgia driver, Jason Hogan. Anderson to steal second. Gary Singletary led the first nine laps COVINGTON COUNTY that stole the spotlight. Helton also got past McFarland before Hudson took control Hogan, currently fourth in on the final lap to finish fourth. Singletary held on to finish secocal action, Scotty and with I'm Peters third. Bill Series points, led the fifteen car Anderson picked up another Walden was fourth and Danny field in qualifying, but inversion Super Stock Feature win. David Parmer fifth. put him on the outside front row. Ashley took the early lead until For more information, contact Willard started third behind pole. Todd Blackburn took over on the track at (334) 565-3539, or Oct. 11-12-14; 5:30 - 9:00; sitter Dale Little. Hogan got the lap eight. Anderson followed visit the track's web site at jump on Little as the green fell Blackburn past Ashley. On lap www.southalabamaspeedway.co and took the lead into turn one. eleven, Anderson made his m/

Willard quickly moved into sec- move for the lead. Anderson led ond and it looked as though the the remaining laps to take the Results 'favorite role" was the correct win Blackburn held on to finish assumption. However, surpris- second. Ashley was third, fol- Late Model ingly. Hogan pulled away. The lowed by Heath Mills and Jamie 1. Jason Hogan first of seven cautions flew on Ater. In the Vintage Feature, 2. Wayne Willard lap 15 and brought the field Duane Bates charged from the 3, Wayne Anderson rear of the pack to take the win. 4. Gary Helton Again, Hogan was able to Clint Boggs took the early lead 5. Ken McFarland gain an advantage on the restart, from the outside. Kip 6 Lee Hansard pulling out to a six car length Whitehead moved into the lead 7. Ronnie Sanders

lead over Willard. Three caution on lap six. Bates moved into 8. Ryan Foster periods from lap 20 to 50 kept second one lap later. Whitehead 9. Dale Little the bunched up. Hogan led was able to hold Bates off for 10. Frank King Willard, Wayne Anderson, Wes several laps. On lap 15, 11. Mike Johnson Loyd, and Little to the half way Whitehead slid up the track 12. Roger Davis point of the race. On a lap 55 enough for Bates to grab the 13. Keith Thorpe restart, Hogan brought the field lead on the inside. A late caution 14. Wes Loyd to the green at a slow pace. gave Whitehead one last shot, 15. Dennis Reno Jr. Willard, seeing an opportunity, but Bates got a good restart and Super Stock jumped to the inside of Hogan led Whitehead to the checkers. 1. Scotty Anderson as the green flew, taking the lead Boggs was thirdwith Jason 2. Todd Blackburn

Morse on the final lap to steal 7. Jacob Permenter McFarland's lead was short, away the win. Morse took the 8. Ricky Rogers however, as Hogan stormed lead on the second lap of the 25 9. William Adcock back through the field, moving lap race. Mack started eighth, 10. Rick Northey into third on lap 74. Two laps but quickly moved into second 11. Jerry Weatherington later, Hogan slid past and began to challenge Morse. 12. Buddy Pitts Willard was having a harder on Mack Finally, on the last lap, 1. Duane Bates

Fishing Spotlight:



Steven Harrell, son of Wesley and Kathy Harrell, caught this 4 1/2 pound Large Mouth Bass while fishing at a private pond. Steven is a student at Zion Chapel Elementary School.

luring the months of August. LBW-Opp; 222-5415 September October and CRENSHAW COUNTY time making his way forward. Mack used the back door, going November, 2004, and all hunters' Aug. 23-24-26; 6:00 - 9:30; High School; 347-9467 even slapping the front stretch to the outside of Morse. Coming are encouraged to attend these Crenshaw Courthouse; 222-

the three leaders pitted for their In the Street Stock Feature, 5. Jamie Ater fresh tires, handing the lead to Will Mack slipped past Gary 6. Ken Pettis McFarland to take the lead. Each lap, Morse closed the door Vintage

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Lewis at 347-4612, by:

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charge finders fees to recovers your assets only complicate the process and cost you unneces-

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a claim form. "Anyone who has reservations about searching the database can rest assured, there are no strings attached," said Ivey. "The Treasurer's Office wants you to claim what is rightfully

Additionally, Treasurer Ivey explained that the new Unclaimed Property Enhancement Act, passed by the Alabama Legislature in May. helps protect constituents who have entered into contracts with bounty hunters or money finders by allowing them twenty-four months after the date the property has been turned over to the Treasurer's Office to void the

contract. "As Treasurer, I believe it is my duty to help keep Alabama consumers safe," stated Ivey. "The provision in this legislation does just that - it protects our citizens from those who are trying to profit from their loss. I don't want our citizens to be snickered by money finders."

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

of Conseco Finance Corp

Alabama, dated October

Probate of Coffee Col

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Default having been made in the
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1594 County Road 644 Post Office Box 307 Huntsville, AL 35804 Attorney for Mortgagee

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Ivey said. "Some of these firms of the county in the county of the county in the county of the county in the county of th of the claim to perform this servand being more particularly bid on the subject property. Said mortgage is a first mortgage and JO ANN LANG

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Treasurer's Office and there are no fees associated with filing an unclaimed property claim. The Treasurer encourages everyone to search for their names on the

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Attorney for E. M. Bradshaw

to the undersigned the 24th day of August, 2004, by the Hon William O. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time

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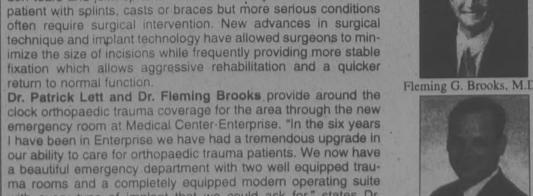
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# SCHOOLS



## EHS Student Spotlight

by Elizabeth Weeks

This week's student spotlight sophomore at Elba High School. Crystal is the 15-year-old daughter of Roland and Elaine several clubs such as FBLA. FFA. FCCLA and VICA: Crystal plays mellophone and is a uniform officer in the Marching Tiger Band. Her hobbies include playing her instrument and hanging out with

friends. She hopes to attend

Mobile University and go into



Crystal Bradshaw Congratulations, Crystal, on

this year is going to be an excit-

ing and enjoyable year, especial-

The Lady Tigers are enthus

and determination, our dreams

Ashleigh Waddail.

## Lady Tigers ready to serve & volley nized for his work with Boyd played miniature golf and

among big schools. The Lady Tigers are back and Amelia Rhoades feels is what required to attend all of the ready to claim their throne. they need to get through a diffi-The Lady Tigers are returning cult schedule. a strong group of seniors and "This year should be filled juniors, which many fans with excitement and should be a believe could help reestablish carry-over from the success of a the Lady Tigers as one of vol- well skilled squad," said Coach leyball's elite teams. The squad Rhoades.

will rely on the leadership of The players are eager to hit their four seniors. Mallory the court and are looking for-Allen, Kristin Barnes, Lyndsay ward to beginning the season. Lawford and Yolanda Reynolds. "We have come together as a Assisting the seniors will be team and have worked extremereturning juniors, led by ly hard to improve our skills." Ashleigh Waddail who last year said Lyndsay Lawford. "I think





Good luck Lady Tigers! Get Involved! by Kayla Kelley

This year as a 16-year-old jun- Parents of Elba Elementary for at Elba High School. Elena students have many opportunito educate the state's youth in McCormick juggles a busy ties to get involved at E.E.S. the duties and privileges of an schedule Her agenda includes Several informative programs American citizen while explorworking (obviously), represent- are scheduled throughout the ing job opportunities provided ing Elba High School as an year. ALL parents are encour- by the government. ambassador, dancing on the aged to check monthly calendars Kristin participated in many on the week due to the fact that of politics, but more towards a Junior Trey Davis stated, "We Marching Tiger Band Dance for dates and make plans to activities including Field Trials. the winners would each have career," said Kristin. "I learned have a new game plan and are

The CoOp Spotlight shines on Ammie Elena McCormick this week for being a great "prepper" at National Security - Elena has been working at National Security for approximately eight

**EDUCATION** Elena said three words that describe her would be goofy. bubbly, and fun. However, we & SCHOOLS classify her as this week's Co-op Spotlight!

> We will be closed Monday, Sept. 6 in observance of the Labor Day Holiday



OUR YOUTH,

Member FDIC

New Brockton

by Ashley Gibson

On June 1st, 2nd and 3rd, the 2003-2004 Elba FFA Officers and state competition participants attended the 75th Annual State FFA Convention held at Officers in attendance includ-

ed Andy Waddail, Lacy Carlile, Ashley Gibson, Ashton Grimes. and Kristi Spinks along with newly elected officers Dustin Rhoades, Brianna Bailey Judson Vaughan and Whitley Kilcrease. The FFA Quartet had previ

ously placed second in District competition; therefore, members Judson Vaughan, Ashlev Carpenter, William Carpenter and Brianna Bailey were able to represent Elba in Auburn. The quartet received fourth place in the state. The students received a check for \$50 and a chapter

and was awarded first place in Turf Grass Management for his work with the City of Elha meetings, and although the con-Recreational Department. He vention was taken seriously, received a check for \$100, a everyone had the opportunity to plaque and a chapter banner. have some fun at a local theme Andy Waddail was recog- park Many road go-carts. Farms by receiving his State played video games in the was named to the Super 12 FFA Degree pin.

Trip chaperones included The Elba FFA Chapter was Excitement is in the air at The Lady Tigers are pumped Jacob Davis, FFA Advisor, well represented this year in Elba High School, for it is VOL- with the confidence and deter- Ricky Carlile; and Vicky Bailey. Auburn and has the ambition to LEYBALL TIME once again. mination that head coach. The FFA members were do even better at next year's



astic and determined to go as far Elba FFA member Mark Brunson (right) placed first in the state The Elba Tigers are off to a Tigers proved they have worked

competition for Turf Grass Management-He is pictured with Jacob great start this season. With a very hard and come a long way "This group has worked each Davis, Elba FFA Advisor.

practice with pride and dedica-tion "said Coach Rhoades Barnes/McGuire represent EHS at Girl's and Boy's State strenuous 4-day a week summer "With hard, positive attitudes by Judson Vaughan

can and will come true," added There was more than staying out and sleeping in for two Elba With a team filled with this High School seniors this past much determination and enthusiasm, any thing is possible. Kristin Barnes and Taylor

McGuire represented Elba High at this past year's Girl's and Boy's State held in June. Girl's State was held in Troy. Ala. on the Troy University campus, while Boy's State was held in Montevallo, Ala. on the University of Montevallo cam-

The purpose of these events is

Politics are also something their own roles in camp.

forms and nominated their can- Taylor.

When the boys registered, a career in politics, Taylor and type of political field." they were placed in political par- Kristin had the following to say: In it's 65th year. Girl's and our team from the beginning. ties within their selected cities. . "It has to a certain extent, but Boy's State selection remains. He proved to us that he wasn't The parties wrote their own plat- only within the local area," said one of the highest honors going to put up with any nondidates for the state offices. "This experience has definite- in Alabama schools.

by Brittany Clark

Kristin Barnes and Taylor McGuire

breathing, eventual stupor or affected with this condition, do Diabetes is not an infectious. unconsciousness. The causes of not be alarmed. There is much disease, but a life-long hereditary high blood sugar are undiagnosed that you can to do to help this percondition resulting from a lack of diabetes, untaken insulin, stress, son. Concentrate and remember available effective insulin in the illness, injury and too much food there are still many unknowns cannot use food properly, result- People with diabetes usually be prepared.



## Elba FFA members attend 75th annual convention



Elba FFA members attending the state convention in Auburn were: Judson Vaughan, Kristi Spinks, Mark Brunson also attended Whitley Kilcrease, Dustin Rhoades, Lacy Carlile, Mark Brunson, Andy Waddail, Ashley Gibson. Brianna Bailey, Ashton Grimes, Ashley Carpenter and William Carpenter.



The Elba FFA Quartet placed fourth in the state competition. Members of the quartet include William Carpenter, Brianna Bailey, Ashley Carpenter and Judson Vaughan. Also pictured is Elba High School FFA advisor Jacob Davis.

## Elba Tigers enter 2004 football season with positive attitude

by Ashley Gibson

tory over Highland Home at the new head coach and a 46-41 vic- since last season.

workouts and continue to practice everyday after school. However, the boys aren't the only ones who have put in such efforts to get this year started. The coaches have also worked very hard and put in a lot of their time for this football

Some of the team members were asked how they felt about their team.

Senior Carlos Aruz stated, "Our team is more determined" and ready to play. We also have a more capable offense." Senior Bradley Bane agreed, "We have a good group of seniors this year and strong leader-

ship qualities." "Our defense is more aggressive than last year," said senior These elections weighed heavily ly opened my eyes in the matters Ryan Gibbs.

a lot, and I have a more open ready for a challenge." that they stress at these two When asked as to whether this mind towards politicians; how- "We have a lot more particiexperience opened their eyes to ever, I do not see myself in any pation than last year and a great coach that began to discipline bestowed upon deserving teens sense," replied junior Guy

### Millions of Americans battle diabetes Symptoms for high blood sugar follow a prescribed meal plan.

have this illness. body. Without insulin, the body or drink or both. ing in too much sugar in the blood. Treatment consists of daily injections of insulin and prescribed dietary intake.

Insulin and exercise lower blood sugar, while food raises blood sugar. Low blood sugar is more common than high blood sugar and both have completely different symptoms. Some symptoms of low blood

sugar are: staggering, poor condi-

tion, anger, bad temper, pale color,

confusion, disorientation, sudden

hunger, sweating and eventual stu-

por or unconsciousness.

include: drowsiness, extreme Concentrated sweets such as Nearly 11 million Americans thirst, very frequent urination, candy, frostings, and syrups are have diabetes. In our school sys- flushed skin, vomiting, fruity or often omitted from the diet. If tem there are four people who wine-like odor on breath, heavy your friend or loved-one has been surrounding diabetes, so always



# SCHOOLS



Zion Chapel REBEL

## Zion Chapel FFA hold first meeting of new school year

THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2004

President LeAnna Hammond Hulgan, John Price, and Jetta called the first regular meeting Bush. of FFA to order. She then pro- Whether or not to hold a cookceeded to cover an agenda that out or a banquet was a discusincluded discussion of fruit sion that was on the agenda. FFA t-shirts, cookouts, banquets, sion, the consensus was that Battlebots, and elections. everyone wanted to have both a nationally

of Enterprise

High School, is

teaching seventh

and eighth grade

science, eighth

history, and

eighth grade life

skills at Zior

and ninth grade

program of activities for this retary has occurred and the nomweek. They then selected a inations are now open. 'Anyone FFA t-shirt for this year, qualify before an election that Taylor, Kenna Roberts, Joseph The meeting was adjourned, president of the Beta Club dur- of the year. The rest of the slate

vay of Wiesbaden,

Kirkland and her husband Joel have a 9-month old son named Shaw, Mrs Kirkland is the former Christina reen, whose

her hometown. Crystal Center and Anita live at Ms. Center is a graduate of Troy Wilkinstowii. State University with a degree Before beginning her teaching from S. Mecklenberg High in cell and molecular biology. at Zion chapel Mrs. Kirkland School in her hometown. Mrs. A graduate of Zion Chapel ence as an extension agent and Keith have two children, inducted into the society in the Dykes and William McCurdy.

High School Mr. Thomas Boswell has come home to teach social studies and physical education. He has just graduated from Troy State University with a Bachelor

of Science in Thomas Boswell Education. Mr. Boswell is married to the Cheryl Harper

former Shannon Jinright who is Ms. Cheryl Harper teaches from high school. From New

grade. Both attend school at Zion Chapel. Christina Kirkland Mrs. Christina Kirkland teaches sixth grade

Language Arts.

laughter, Calyn, graduate of Zion Chapel High Mrs. Crisic Osterhoudt is expecting a baby.

niversity. Mrs. Head has had two years expeence as a fifth Kim Head

officers were the major items on 19-20, 2004. She explained that ing the trip. Business Leaders of America permission to make an out-of- president. He will be assisted by (FBLA) meeting of the year. state trip and she discussed in Vice President Donna Flowers,



FBLA officers include: Donna Flowers, Rosanna Johnson, Melanie was announced so that every Perry, Meta Gatlin, Jeremy Sanders, Michael Sneed, Clay Lewis member could add these dates to

Junior varsity cheerleaders bring honors home from camp

trophy were awarded to Zion Chapel Junior Varsity cheerleaders for their performance at the cheerleader camp they attended

Cheerleading Association Cheer Camp which was held at the University of Alabama in July. While at the camp the JV ship both on and off the field. In addition to all the other sales, peanut boils, FFA Week, After several minutes of discus-All-Start Cheerleader and earned the right to compete

Chapter members were cookout and a banquet. Luke The JV cheerleaders are informed that the annual fruit Taylor, John Price, Joseph Brittany Cardwell-captain, sale would begin at the end of September and that a peanut boil appointed to a Recreation Leana Vinson, Kirsten Collins,

would be help before a Committee who will make deci- Lindsey Amlong. Shay Sanders, September football game. sions about refreshments at Cassie Strength, Caitlin Grissett. FFA Week will come in meetings and assign people to Ciara Smith, Erika Mount, Ali



asked to start thinking about a A vacancy in the office of sec- Their coach is Mrs. Ginger Lindsey Amlong, Leana Vinson, Caitlin Grissett, Courtney Grant, Brittany Cardwell, Cassi Strength and Ali Childs. Ciara Smith is not pictured.

committee to design an official interested in the position has to Zion Chapel Beta Club elects officers for 2004-05 school year

Committee members are Luke will take place in the near future. Lindsay Leverett was elected ing the first business meeting

freshmen. Freshmen who are

Zachary who is 4 spring of 2005.

Kim Head

Alabama, where she graduated

New Brockton,

Master's degree in

ibrary Media from

dabama State

# Zion Chapel welcomes new teachers ing is Vice President Cortney

School and has a BS in psychol- from Charlotte, North Carolina Ms. Crystal Center, a graduate ogy and MS in education from but comes to Zion Chapel by University. Mrs. ermany, where she ught for two years junior class who have been the Department of ) e f e n s e Dependants'

parents Donald South Carolina. She graduated approximately 20 other mem-

three years of experience with the Family

Services Center. She and her fami-Services Center. ly are living in Enterprise at the present time but

nave very definite plans to move back to Zion Chapel.

also a graduate of Zion Chapel. 7th grade reading, and 8th, 9th. Brockton she went on to Troy They have two children, Shelby and 11<sup>th</sup> grade English. She is State University to earn a degree who is 11 and Kyle who is 10. from Ozark and a graduate of in elementary education and a Shelby is in the 6th grade and School She Kyle is in the 5th attended Alabama State University where she earned a BS degree in

She has nine years teaching experience. She has a English, science, Christina Kirkland who is 7 years old. and social studies. She is a Crisie Osterhoudt

rade teacher of cience and social tudies in the Early County Elementary in Blakely, Georgia. She and her husband Mark are

# FBLA holds first meeting of school year

Attending the National Fall Mrs. Rachel Bryan, sponsor, detail the cost of making such a Leadership Conference (NFLC) discussed a trip to the NFLC trip. Over thirty members in New Orleans, La., and electing which will be held on November expressed an interested in makthe agenda of the first Future the Chapter would have to have Michael Sneed was elected

> Secretary Melanie Perry, Treasurer Roy King, Reporter Rosanna Johnson, Historians Meta Gatlin and Clay Lewis, and Parliamentarian Jeremy Sanders. The Chapter will continue their "Loving and Literacy" project-Multiplication Marathonfor another year. The project will be conducted with the assistance of Mrs. Melinda Hodge, fifth grade math teacher. The fifth grade math students are the target of the project. Last year the projables with no problems.

ect was a success with a high percentage of fifth graders who could recite the multiplication The South Region Conference, February 26, 2005, and the Alabama FBLA State Conference, April 14-15, 2005,

of officers elected at this meet-Dykes, Secretary Rosanna Lindsay, Rosanna, and Cortney are members of the members of this society that honors outstanding scholastic achievement since they became chools. She has a eligible as freshmen. William achelor of Arts is a senior who transferred to Zion Chapel during his freshecondary English man year. He became a Beta Education from Club member as a sophomore. Anderson College in These four officers lead

has had three years of experi- Osterhoudt and her husband eligible will be invited and Beta Club officers...Lindsay Leverett, Rosanna Johnson, Cortney

Not only is there a new slate Zion Chapel bylaws. She where would they go? Mrs. Osterhoudt of officers, there is a new sponteachs high school sor. Mrs. Cara Knighten, guidteachs high school sor. Mrs. Cara Knighten, guidteachs high school sor. Mrs. Cara Knighten, guid-

sponsoring the Beta Club. lished. Mrs. Knighten, as a new Other business discussed at Adventure Land in Valdosta, ew librarian is sponsor, led the membership in the meeting was the possibility Georgia. Neither the possibili-Mrs. Kim Head a thorough discussion of the of making a field trip and if it ty of making a trip or selecting

English at Zion ance counselor, has agreed to and was not possible according ball game, visiting the take on the responsibilities of to the bylaws already estab- Mercedes-Benz plant in northern Alabama, or going to



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## Zadie Bouyer celebrates 100th birthday

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Mrs. Bouyer has always been a strong supporter of her church and community. Her family is very proud of the fact that up until 5 years ago, when she fell and broke her hip, she lived alone walking daily to visit her daughter and her neighbors. She has lived a full life and is still an expert domino and bingo playe

**Five Generations:** Five Generations of the Zadie Bouyer family were present on her 100th birthday, July 27 2004 at the home of her daughter Chris Jacobs of Elba. Zadie Bouyer is shown with her great great-grandson, Gavin Mundy Leland, age 3 months. Also pictured are Mrs. Bouyer's daughter, Chris Jacobs, grandson Larry Jacobs, and great-granddaughter, Kristie Leland.



Mrs. Buyer enjoys celebration.



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Inited Way and the agencies

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an investigator with the beneficial as he steps into his Covington County Sheriff's new role at New Brockton, and Department. He served as he is ready to meet the chal-Kinston's Chief of Police for lenge. approximately two years and "We're going to be working Samson's Chief of Police for on some drug areas and illegal approximately three years alcohol that's being sold around before volunteering to go over- town," he said. seas with the Army Reserves. As for the future of the police After returning home from chief's position, Cole said there verseas, Cobb joined the New is no need to rush the search.

Brockton Police Department "We're not going to do any-In his new role with the tion takes over on Oct. 1st," he department, Cobb said he will said. "After the new administrahandle the payroll, make sure tion takes over, we will start maintenance of the vehicles is accepting applications and up-to-date, assign schedules and resumes for the position." coverage areas, investigate crimes and try to keep every. Wiregrass United Cobb said he also believe his

Way special to air past experiences running a September 7th Closed Monday, Sept. 6 police department will prove A thirty minute special focusng on the Wiregrass United

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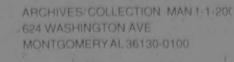
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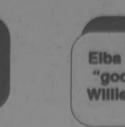


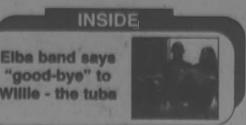
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# Baptists prepare to feed victims of Hurricane Frances

Convention operates a very suc- Coordinator Larry Murphy of returned from feeding relief with six showers, two hot water cessful and effective ministry of Enterprise.

feeding disaster victims around When preparing to give assis- helping victims of Hurricane dryer and one of several water

The simulcast will give the public a better understanding of now their contributions to Wiregrass United Way helps build a stronger community. During the program'viewers will get an in-depth look at five of he United Way agencies: Coffee County Family Services Center, Boys and Girls Club of Ozark, East Geneva County Senior Citizens Center, Wiregrass Habitat for Humanity and Vaughn-Blumberg Center.

These stations have donated this service to the Wiregrass United Way for a number of years. There is no cost to the United Way in the production or airing of the simulcast. Walter Hill, CEO of the

Wiregrass United Way said that this service is one that the organzation could never afford to pay

Hill stated that he believes that this thirty minute program an go a long way in showing people that giving to the Wiregrass United Way is the best way to help the most people. He added, "I hope people will take the time out of their busy schedule to watch this show and lean more about the role of the United Way in the communities we serve."

The Wiregrass United Way has 36 member agencies and serves Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Henry and Houston counties. The services provided by the agencies are divided into four focus areas. They are: serving people with special needs. strengthening families and indiriduals, meeting basic needs and helping youth succeed.

Senator Harri Anne Smith of Slocomb is serving as chair of the campaign this year. There are five county campaign chairs working with her. They are Jeff Brannon, Coffee County; Rep. Steve Clouse, Dale County; David Snell, Geneva County; Lester Killebrew, Henry County and Mike Schmitz, Houston County.

The goal for Wiregrass United Way's 2004-2005 campaign will be announced at the campaign kickoff. The annual kickoff will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 14th. The public is nvited to attend. It will be held at the National Peanut Festival fairgrounds in Dothan inside the exhibit building. The cost to attend is only \$5 per person and dinner will be served.

The Wiregrass United Way has served the Wiregrass area since 1938. Funds raised by Wiregrass United Way are utilized locally in the five county area. A committee of local volunteers determines how the funds are distributed among the member agencies. For more nformation call 792-9661.



feed storm victims and relief maybe Georgia. workers, according to Baptist The unit and many of the steam kettles with tables and a The Alabama Baptist Association State Volunteer same volunteers have just hot water heater; one equipped

loaded with enough food to serve 20,000 complete meals in the disaster area.

state on meeting accountability goals

by Linda Hodge, Editor good thing about this plan is that it can be reviewed and changed and the paving of the parking lot

Education held its regular Some of the projects dis- Board members also voted to

monthly meeting Thursday cussed for the plan were the roof approve a land lease at Zion

evening, Sept. 2, and superin- of the vocational building at Chapel for the school's off-site

advantage of an opportunity to improvements to the outside of Ingram said the health depart-

brag on the school system. the older building at New ment has approved plans for the

Ingram said she was very Brockton, the roof at Kinston system, and the school will lease

happy to report that the Coffee Elementary School, the roof of 5.51 acres of land from the

County School System placed the field house at Zion Chapel Annabelle Wilkes family trust.

second in the state in regards to High School, improvements for Ingram said the entire 5.51 acres

She said this is proof that the School gym, repairs to a small Please See BOE, Page 14

meeting accountability goals. the New Brockton Elementary -

tendent Dr. Linda Ingram took New Brockton High School, sewage disposal system.

LARAMA BAPUISI

ATERION INPIGI

The Coffee County Board of at any time.

things asked of it.

The superintendent also took

time during the meeting to thank

several people involved with

bus accident which occurred

Monday, Aug. 30, on Highway

Ingram said the bus driver,

James Hataway, realized his bus

was going to be hit from behind

and had the presence of mind to

keep the bus moving rather than

hit the brakes. She said his quick

thinking and good driving most

likely kept the accident from

Coffee County Sheriff's

Department, Coffee County

EMS and Goodman Fire

approve the school system's

capital plan. Ingram said the

Department.

the world. During the past tance, the volunteers have no Charley. On that mission they purification units the group utiweekend and into Tuesday of idea where they will be served a total of 46,000 meals in lizes. Still another trailer serves this week volunteers from assigned. In this situation they 15 days.

around the state were staging were waiting to first be sure The semi trailer pictured tions unit which can operate units of their disaster relief team their services were not needed above should be recognized in independent of storm damaged at the New Brockton Farm by some Alabama community. Elba, as it has been on site in local communications. Center waiting for Hurricane Once it was determined this Elba feeding flood victims. Frances to pass. Once the storm would be unnecessary they In addition to this cooking up in some disaster area they has passed this group will be expected to be dispatched to one and serving van, there are small- will have with them enough

assigned to a key location in the of the many places damaged by er units which carry support food to prepare 40,000 hot disaster area where they will the hurricane in Florida or equipment; one equipped with a meals. They are equipped to serve up to 10,000 meals a day.

In some cases where they have the room the volunteers are even motorist . . . . "just visit our drive These trailers are manned by

workers in Florida involved in heaters, washing machine and

an all volunteer staff, 50% have specialized training for this work and the other 50% are bankers, housewives, retirees, etc., who make the trips and learn from those with the formal READY TO HELP These trucks and the semi van, along with at four smaller vans were staging Cliff McMahan of in New Brockton over the weekend, waiting for Hurricane Frances to pass before being moved, by Birmingham, is retired and has

volunteers, into the disaster area with food, water and other necessities. The two Ryder trucks are served with the disaster feeding ministry literally around the world. He also designs and con-Volunteers Floyd Morrow of structs much of the specialized Elba, left, and Cliff McMahan equipment needed for the masfrom the plant that remains open free, 1-866-628-HCTC (4282). of Birmingham are shown sive relief work of the group. Monday morning making last Monday morning he was checkminute checks on equipment in one of the specialized disaster generators and going through uffed by the U.S. Department of station programs, they could be relief trailers being readied for his checklist of needed items to Labor on August 20, 2004," says eligible for additional weekly help to the victims of Hurricane ensure they had everything that Phyllis Ker

at Kinston High School.

donated to the Baptist McMahan, "Every time I show July 20, 2003, and before the tergranted by the Alabama State Convention by the Coffee up to help at one of these disas-mination date of August 20, 2006. County Baptist Assocation. ter feeding units, Cliff is already Under the Trade Act of 2002, Please See DORSEY, Page 14 Coffee County Schools rank second in

there working away."

COFFEE COUNTY EXTENSION COORDINATOR STAN WINDHAM (left) addressed the Elba Lions Club Tuesday, Aug. 24, during the club's regular meeting. Windham spoke on the diversity equipped to deliver the meals to within Coffee County ranging from the five schools: Elba, Enterprise, Zion Chapel, New Brockton and Kinston, to the county's agriculture production. He said Coffee County had over \$150 million in agriculture production last year alone, and annually ranks high in state among several different fields. Also pictured is Brian McLeod, Elba Lions Club president.

## Dorsey employees eligible for extended pay benefits

Frances. Once the storm has was needed. On Sunday Alabama Department of amount they were receiving under passed this group of volunteers McMahan had driven to Elba to Industrial Relations.

Current and former employees for subsidized vocational training, of Dorsey Trailers, Flatbed job search assistance, relocation Division, in Elba may be eligible allowances, and the Heath for benefits under the federal Coverage Tax Credit (HCTC). Approximately 300 employees HCTC is available by calling toll-

"A petition field on behalf if cash benefits under other state and

other programs. In order to will get an assignment and roll see how things looked when the back to parmed the programs. In order to the U.S. Department of Labor receive Trade Readjustment their trucks and trailers of food and food preparation equipment into the disaster zone and stay as long as needed.

This particular trailer was described to the Baptist of the Baptist o back to normal. He spent time found that workers, employed in Allowance benefits, workers must



Jimmy R. Guilford, of Elba, was driving this Volvo semi truck last Friday when it wrecked in Campbellton, Florida. The concrete blocks in front of the truck were once part of the front porch of the home. Guilford was airlifted to a Dothan hospital but is now home. There were no other injuries.

## Elba man hurt in Florida truck-house collision

The home of a Campbellton, S. Hwy. 231. Jimmy R. to the FHP report Guilford had Florida woman was completely. Guilford, age 47, of Elba, only moderate injuries, he was destroyed when a semi-truck Alabama, driver of the truck, later discharged and family crashed into it on Friday after- apparently blacked out causing members described his injuries

noon, September 3rd.

crashed into it. Highway Patrol report, the crash beside the house. tor trailer was northbound on U. Hospital in Dothan. According gated the crash.

the house, and came to a stop totaled and the trailer had

his semi to go off the right side as three broken ribs and numer-Marie Brantley, age 95, who of the roadway, striking a stop ous cuts and bruises around his has lived in her home just south sign, continuing into a ditch and head and on his arms. of Campbellton on Hwy. 231 for striking a culvert. The truck then Approximately \$60,000 over 60 years, was in the back crashed into the house, shearing worth of damage was done to part of the house when the truck "off the porch and front part of the home, while the tractor was

According to the Florida when it hit a large pine tree just approximately \$6,000 worth of

occurred at approximately 2:00 Guilford was airlifted by an Florida Highway Patrol p.m., when the 2000 Volvo trac- Air Heart Helicopter to Flowers Trooper E.D. Whiddon investi-

# "We've met those goals that HE 2004 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON continue

iday, Sept. 10, with the Elba Tigers playing host to the Housto cademy Raiders, the New Brockton Gamecocks will host Wicksburg, the Kinston Bulldogs playing host to Pleasant Home, and the Brantley Bulldogs playing host to the Zion Chapel

THE NEXT FARM CITY MEETING will be held Tuesday, ept. 14, in the Extension Office at 7:30 a.m. Please remember to ing recipes for the Farm City Cookbook.

TREGRASS HOSPICE INC. will conduct its monthly riefShare group meeting Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 2 p.m. in the e courthouse), in Enterprise. This group is open to anyone in the mmunity who has experienced the death of a loved one. For nore information, contact Catrina Arnold at 347-3353.

MMITTEE MEETING will be hold Tuesday, Sept. 14, as , in New Brockton. Speakers will be local Democratic can ates and officials from the State Democratic Party. Anyone into sted in becoming more actively involved in the Democrat arty is encouraged to attend the meeting and to join the Coff ounty Democratic Club. The public is invited to attend the

being any worse than it was, and she felt he should be commended for the good job in which he Ingram also thanked the emergency personnel that COFFEE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE responded quickly to the scene of the accident including the

# school system is doing the place on the roof at New were set forth for us," Ingram Area Happenings